## **Tucson- Pima County Bicycle Advisory Committee**

## Approved Platinum Subcommittee Minutes – August 25, 2015

#### 1. Call to Order - Roll Call: 2:08 p.m.

Members present: David Bachman-Williams (acting chair), Eric Post, Richard DeBernardis, Elaine Mariolle, Susan Reed, Jessica Hersh-Ballering, Marilyn Hall, Nancy Ellis

#### 2. Approval of July 27, 2015 minutes

The minutes will be changed to reflect Susan Reed's changes relative to the Google docs access.

Richard DeBernardis moved to approve the minutes; Eric Post seconded. Minutes approved unanimously.

#### 3. Call to the Public:

Richard DeBernardis indicated that the Cochise County Classic will be dedicated to Andy Clarke, the former LAB head. He suggested that the subcommittee get together as a group with Andy before the event in Douglas to talk about our application. He will ask Andy if we can meet on the Wednesday or Thursday before Cochise. He tentatively set the meeting for October 8, depending on Andy's schedule.

Richard DeBernardis also indicated that it is possible that the new chairperson for the LAB may be attending El Tour.

Eric Post asked who has a list of the area LCIs who have taught a class, and it was noted that Matt Zoll may have that information.

The subcommittee chair Wayne Cullop is expected to be back for the September meeting.

David Bachman-Williams noted that he has met with Ann Chanecka of the City of Tucson, and will meet with Gabe Thum of PAG and Brian Varney of Marana about the engineering section questions.

- 4. Announcements none
- **5.** New or Old Action items none
- 6. Status Update of the Education Section none Matt Zoll is ill
- 7. Status Update of the Encouragement Section Richard DeBernardis

Susan Reed and Marilyn Hall have been working on the Bike to Worship question. Susan indicated that a flyer will go out to Interfaith Common Services and Southwest Methodist area congregations in September. The Bike to Worship days will be held the 2 weekends prior to El Tour de Tucson in November, on Friday/Saturday/Sunday of those weekends. The Bike to Worship events will then be leveraged/folded into the Bike Fest activities in April 2016 to begin the culture change. A club or other representative is needed to take ownership of this event in the future. Jessica suggested that churches along the Cyclovia route be contacted to ascertain interest. Eric will send the information to his contacts and the ICC club.

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- **8. Status Update of the Engineering Section** David Bachman-Williams will present at the September 28, 2015 meeting.
- **9. Status Update of the Evaluation section** Nancy Ellis will present at the September 28, 2015 meeting.
- 10. Detailed Review of the Enforcement Section Eric Post

General discussion and comments/questions relative to this section:

Deputy Rohr will be asked about the status of bike officers in the PCSO.

Addition – that police in all jurisdictions attend meetings for all cycling events for traffic control and safety – on a monthly basis (such as planning meetings for El Tour, triathlons, etc.)

Is Paul Tosca the law enforcement person for Safe Routes to School?

Jessica indicated that police officers may take the diversion class for free for educational purposes.

Nancy will ask OVPD for their crash/accident statistics.

Richard indicated that he will contact Tony Daykin of the UAPD to get statistics from the UA.

## 11. Potential Topics/Action items for next meeting:

- a. Richard will ask Andy Clarke about an October 8 meeting
- b. Marilyn and Susan will discuss the Bike to Worship event
- c. Eric will talk to Michael Haast of the ICCC about the Bike to Worship event
- d. Jessica will contact Paul Tosca regarding SRTS
- e. Richard will contact Tony Daykin of the UAPD
- 12. Next Meeting Date September 28, 2015 at 2:00 p.m.
- **13.** Adjourn the meeting was adjourned at 3:51 p.m.

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